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TOWN OFFICERS

SUPERVISORS

Charles J. Brewster — James W. Rollins

John E. Chase

MODERATOR

George C. Jewell

TOWN CLERK

Charles N. Lane

SELECTMEN

Charles H. Chase — Arthur H. Jewell

*W. Leslie Dining

TREASURER

George L. Barker

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

James E. Stockbridge

AUDITORS

J. F. Emery — Ralph D. Parkman

BOARD OF EDUCATION

*Walter A. Scammon — Chas. E. Jewell

George W. Berry

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Frank H. Pearson — *Walter A. Scammon

Harry G. Brierley

HIGHWAY AGENT

Charles R. Brown

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

*George L. Barker — Annie W. Scammon

Frank H. Pearson

POLICE

Melvin D. Stickney — Charles R. Brown

*Term expired

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Land and Buildings	$544,020.00	
Horses, 124	12,775.00	
Cows, 468	41,800.00	
Neat, 25	1,655.00	
Sheep, 19	95.00	
Hogs, 56	800.00	
Fowl, 6800	8,160.00	
Mills, 2	200.00	
Wood and lumber	4,505.00	
Gas Pumps	1,500.00	
Stock in Trade	3,550.00	
		$619,060.00
Soldiers' Exemption		4,000.00
		$ 615,060.00

APPROPRIATIONS

State tax	$ 1,482.00	
County tax	1,274.73	
Town debt	3,000.00	
State Aid Con.	903.00	
Trunk Line Main.	1,875.00	
State Aid Main.	1,000.00	
Cleaning and painting inside of Town Hall	400.00	
Painting and repairing outside of Town Hall and P. O.	400.00	
Bunker Hill Ave.	500.00	
Fire extinguishers	30.00	
Cross Roads	1,500.04	
Schools	8,453.32	
		$20,818.09

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Stratham in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Stratham on Tuesday, the 11th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid for highway improvement, raise and appropriate money for the same.

4. To see if the town will vote to install a telephone in the Town Hall, raise and appropriate money for the same.

5. To see if the town will vote to buy linoleum for the Town Hall kitchen, raise and appropriate money for same.

6. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid and build a new bridge on Winnicutt Road, raise and appropriate money for the same.

7. To see if the town will vote to build an exit on the North West side of the Town Hall, raise and appropriate money for the same.

8. On petition of Dennis O'Connell and 17 others to see if the town will vote to oil Bunker Hill Ave. so called, and appropriate money for same.

9. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to repair and repaint the pavillon and waiting station at Stratham Hill Park or pass any other vote relating to the Park.

10. To see what vote the town will take for the purchase of snow removal equipment, raise and appropriate money for the same.

11. To elect a delegate to the Constitutional Convention.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 21st day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty.

CHAS. H. CHASE,
A. H. JEWELL,
W. LESLIE DINING,

Selectmen of Stratham.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CHAS. H. CHASE,
A. H. JEWELL,
W. LESLIE DINING,

Selectmen of Stratham.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Of the Town of Stratham, in Rockingham County, for the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1930

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date, February 1, 1930.

CHARLES H. CHASE,
A. H. JEWELL,
W. LESLIE DINING,

Selectmen.

GEORGE L. BARKER,

Treasurer.

BALANCE SHEET

February 21, 1930.

ASSETS

Cash			
In hands of treasurer (Do not include sinking funds)		$886.51	
In hands of officials		223.97	
Accounts Due to the Town			
Due from County		34.86	
Other bills due Town:			
Estate of Samuel Rand		788.00	
Taxes bought by Town on estate of late James P. Chase		1,277.90	
Taxes not collected: Levy of 1929		2,026.44	
Total Assets			$5,237.68
Total Liabilities			4,890.49
Grand Total			$347.19
Net Debt-January 31, 1929	$1,458.76		
Surplus-January 31, 1930	347.19		
Decrease of debt		$1,805.95	

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town		
Bills outstanding	$223.97	
Due to School Districts:		
Dog licenses	156.60	
Balance of appropriation	2,509.92	
Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	2,000.00	
Total Liabilities		$4,890.49

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION,

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue

From Local Taxes			
Property taxes committed to collector, 1929	$19,872.94		
Less discount and abatement, 1929	328.21		
Less uncollected, 1929	2,026.44		
Property taxes current year, actually collected		$17,518.29	
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected 281 @ $2.00		562.00	
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected		1,584.19	
Total of above collections			$19,664.48
Tax sales redeemed			76.64
From State			
For highways:			
For State Aid maintenance		$434.85	
For State Aid construction		927.69	
For Trunk Line maintenance		6,473.08	
Interest and dividend tax		759.48	
From County			
For support of poor		245.95	
From Local Sources, Except Taxes			
Dog licenses		174.60	
Rent of town property		2.00	
Income from departments		173.88	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1929 Permits		449.24	

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government		
Town officers' salaries	$846.30	
Town officers' expenses	347.61	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,413.66	
Protection of Persons and Property		
Damage by dogs	18.00	
Highways and Bridges		
Bushes	129.00	
State Aid maintenance	1,452.32	
Trunk Line maintenance	8,649.03	
Town maintenance	2,042.91	
Street lighting and sprinkling, snow	336.62	
General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs	537.88	
Libraries		
Libraries	179.40	
Charities		
Town poor	619.70	
County poor	228.81	
Patriotic Purposes		
Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	10.60	
Recreation		
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	22.00	
Public Service Enterprises		
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	33.57	
Unclassified		
Taxes bought by town	151.97	
Discounts and Abatements	65.38	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$17,084.76

RECEIPTS (Concluded)

Registration of motor vehicles, 1930 Permits	782.73	
		10,405.50
Total Current Revenue Receipts		$30,164.62
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue		
Temporary loans in antictipation of taxes during year	$15,000.00	
Trust funds	1,000.00	
Total Receipts other than current revenue		16,000.00
Total Receipts from all sources		$46,164.62
Cash on hand February 1, 1929		235.45
Grand Total		$46,400.07

PAYMENTS (Concluded)

Interest		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	$211.90	
Paid on principal of trust funds used by town	25.00	
Total interest payments		236.90
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements		
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid construction	1,774.32	
Town construction	596.64	
Total outlay payments		2,370.96
Indebtedness		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	$13,000.00	
Payments to trustees, trust funds	1,000.00	
Total indebtedness payments		14,000.00
Payments to Other Government Divisions		
N. H. Assessors Association	$2.00	
Taxes paid to State	753.87	
Taxes paid to County	1,274.73	
Payments to School Districts	9,790.34	
Total payments to other governmental div.		11,820.94
Total Payments for all purposes		$45,513.56
Cash on hand January 31, 1930		886.51
Grand Total		$46,400.07

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description and Value

Town Hall, lands and buildings	$10,000.00	
Furniture and equipment	1,000.00	
Libraries, lands and buildings	10,000.00	
Furniture and equipment	500.00	
Highway Department, equipment	1,000.00	
Parks, commons and playgrounds	3,000.00	
Schools, lands and buildings	8,000.00	
Equipment	2,500.00	
Total		$36,000.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF STRATHAM

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1930 to February 1, 1931, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1929 to February 1, 1930.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1928	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1929	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Insurance Tax	$30.00	$30.00	$	$
Railroad Tax	109.28	109.28		
Savings Bank Tax	588.85	588.85		
For Fighting Forest Fires		25.00	25.00	
For Highways:				
(a) For State Aid Maintenance	1,000.00	1,000.00		
(b) For Trunk Line Maintenance	1,875.00	1,000.00		875.00
Interest and Dividend Tax	759.48	759.48		
From Local Sources Except Taxes				
All Licenses and Permits Except Dog Licenses	1,231.97	1,231.97		
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	11.50	11.50		
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	53.14	53.14		
From Poll Taxes:				
From Other Taxes Except Property Taxes	562.00	562.00		

Revenue Applicable only to New Construction and Improvements:				
From State:				
(a) For State Aid Highway Construction	903.00	922.50	19.50	
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes	16,000.00	10,000.00		6,000.00
Revenue Which Must be Paid to Other Governmental Div:				
Dog Licenses	174.60	174.60		
Schools	9,653.32	9,202.18		451.14
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes	$32,952.14	$25,670.50	$44.50	$7,326.14
Amount Raised by Property Taxes	19,872.94	19,872.94		
Total Revenues	$52,825.08	$45,543.44	$44.50	$7,326.14

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	ACTUAL EXPENDITURES PREVIOUS Year 1929	ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES ENSUING Year 1930		
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	$846.30	$846.30		
Town Officers' Expenses	347.61	347.61		
Care and Supplies for Town Hall	1,413.66	300.00		1,113.66
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department		25.00	25.00	
Fire Department		25.00	25.00	
Health:				
Health Department		25.00	25.00	
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Maintenance				
State's Contribution	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Town's Contribution	1,000.00	1,000.00		
Trunk Line Maintenance				
State's Contribution	5,625.00	3,000.00		2,625.00
Town's Contribution	1,875.00	1,000.00		875.00
Town Maintenance	1,477.21	1,477.21		
General Expense of Highway Department	537.88	537.88		
Education:				
Libraries	179.40	179.40		
Charities:				
Town Poor	232.20	232.20		
Patriotic Purposes:				
Soldiers' Aid and G. A. R. Halls	10.60	10.60		
Recreation:				
Parks and Playgrounds	22.00	22.00		
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	33.57	25.00		8.57
Interest:				
On Temporary Loans	236.90	200.00		36.90

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:				
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Construction	500.00	500.00		
State Aid Construction				
State's Contribution	903.00	922.00	19.00	
Town's Contribution	903.00	922.50	19.50	
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
State Taxes	753.87	753.87		
County Taxes	1,274.73	1,274.73		
Payments to School Districts	9,790.34	9,202.18		588.16
Total Expenditures	$28,962.27	$23,828.48	$113.50	$5,247.29

DETAILED EXPENSES

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Paid	Charles H. Chase	$210 00	
	Arthur H. Jewell	100 00	
	W. Leslie Dining	100 00	
	Charles N. Lane	120 50	
	James E. Stockbridge	245 80	
	George L. Barker	50 00	
	John F. Emery	10 00	
	Willerd G. Parkman	10 00	
			$846 30

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Paid	The Baker Agency for Bonds	$52 00	
	Edwin C. Eastman, supplies	9 22	
	The Whittier Press, town reports	187 03	
	Frank A. Batchelder, Lawyer	35 40	
	Postage, Telephone and supplies	58 96	
	William Oliver, locating wood lots	5 00	
			347 61

TOWN HALL EXPENSES

Paid	Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co., lights	$46 20
	Helen Parkman, cleaning hall	7 50
	Irving W. Brown, masonry	61 15
	W. C. Swan, tuning piano	3 50
	J. F. Guiron, cleaning hall	150 00
	Alfred St. Denis, electrician	4 50
	Frank H. Brewster, carpenter	10 80
	W. J. Holland, labor on wood	5 25
	A. H. Jewell, sawing wood	5 00
	Detroit Safe Co., repairs	21 07
	Central Heating & Plumbing Co.	8 00

	Frank H. Pearson, insurance	62.60	
	Maurice Cottrell, painting	709.35	
	Charles H. Chase, wood and freight	44.14	
	Dupre & Son	274.60	
			1,413.66

LIBRARY

Paid	Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co., lights	$10.05	
	Elizabeth Dolloff, librarian	100.00	
	Charles H. Chase, wood	37.50	
	Library appropriation	27.60	
	Charles H. Chase, team and labor	4.25	
			179.40

TOWN POOR

Paid	Rockingham County Farm, board of Ida Rand	$312.00	
	Dover Children's Home, board of Jenney Rand	75.50	
	Golden Rule Farm Homes Asso., board of Chapman Children	232.20	
			619.70

COUNTY POOR

Paid	Chas. H. Chase, wood Mrs. Lizzie Wentworth	$94.50	
	Chas. N. Lane, groceries Mrs. Lizzie Wentworth	86.31	
	Sarah J. Wells, rent Mrs. Lizzie Wentworth	48.00	
			228.81

G. A. R.

Paid	Flags for Soldiers' Graves	$3.60	
	W. S. Day, labor on tablet	7.00	
			10.60

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Paid Frank H. Pearson, insurance on flag pole	$6.00	
Lucilla Ames, repairing flag	1.00	
Chas. H. Chase, raising flag	5.00	
Chas. H. Chase, mowing and cleaning up Park	10.00	
		22.00

CEMETERIES

Paid Chas. J. Brewster, care Greenwood Cemetery	$13.50	
John F. Emery, care Old Town Cemetery	5.00	
Harry G. Brierley, fence at Old Town Cemetery	15.07	
		33.57

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Town of Stratham

For Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1930

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date, January 24, 1930.

FRANK H. PEARSON,
WALTER A. SCAMMON,
HARRY G. BRIERLEY,

Trustees.

STRATHAM, N. H. Feb. 1, 1930.

We have this day examined the account of the Trustees of the Trust Funds, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

RALPH D. PARKMAN,
JOHN F. EMERY,

Auditors.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF STRATHAM, ON JANUARY 31, 1930.

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
	Amanda Lane, Library Fund	Portsmouth Savings Bank	$700 00	4 %	$	$28 42	$28 42	$
	Andrew Wiggin, care of Cemetery Lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100 00	4 %	13 12	4 58	11 25	6 45
	James W. Foss, care of Cemetery Lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	75 00	4 %	8 22	3 36	4 00	7 58
	Sarah Downes, care of Cemetery Lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	50 00	4 %	13 58	2 56	1 50	14 64
Apr. 18, 1919	Frank P. Leavitt, care of Cemetery Lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100 00	4 %	14 30	4 62	7 00	11 92
Oct. 30, 1920	Elizabeth Wood, care of Cemetery Lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	150 00	4 %	23 06	7 01	11 75	18 32
Jan. 14, 1922	John Scammon, care of Lot in Upper Cemetery in which John Scammon and John J. Scammon are buried ..	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100 00	4 %	10 55	4 46	5 00	10 01
Jan. 28, 1924	Mary J. Roberts, care of Cemetery Lot	Piscataqua Savings Bank	100 00	4 %	11 07	4 50	2 50	13 07
Jan. 28, 1924	Mary J. Roberts, Library Fund	Piscataqua Savings Bank	200 00	4 %		8 12	8 12	
Nov. 11, 1925	Edmund B. Lane, Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000 00	5 %		75 00*	75.00	
Aug. 23, 1928	George L. Barker, care of Lot in Lower Cemetery in which Levi and George Barker are buried	Liberty Bonds First Issue	200.00	4¼%	4 24	8 50	8 25	5 49**
July 1, 1929	George W. Dixon, Library Fund	Town Note for six months, now in Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000 00	5 %		25 00	25 00	

*The $75.00 represents 18 months interest due to a change from an annual to a semi-annual payment of interest by the Bank.
**Bonds were sold for $201.00 and proceeds deposited in Amoskeag Savings Bank January 16, 1930.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts 1929—1930

Balance on hand	$235.45
Thomas J. Brackett, George W. Dixon Legacy	1,000.00
C. N. Lane, automobile permits, 1929	449.24
C. N. Lane, automobile permits, 1930	782.73
C. N. Lane, Dog licenses	174.60
State Treasurer, Highway Department, snow	50.00
Town of Greenland, use of cement mixer	72.00
State Treasurer, Highway Dept., T. L. M.	2,400.00
State Treasurer, income and dividend tax	759.48
State Treasurer, Highway account	5,435.62
Exeter Banking Co., Notes	15,000.00
J. E. Stockbridge, sale and redemption of O. W. Tuttle Place	76.64
J. O. U. A. M., rent of room	9.50
C. E. Pickering, breaking driveway	.50
C. J. Brewster, rent of town hall	2.00
F. H. Pearson, use of cement mixer	20.00
Greenland Fur Farm, use of cement mixer	13.88
C. H. Chase, use of cement mixer	3.00
Baker Farm, breaking driveway	1.00
F. H. Pearson, breaking driveway	2.00
R. E. Holmes, breaking driveway	1.00
J. E. Stockbridge, breaking driveway	1.00
E. R. Stockbridge, County Poor	245.95
J. E. Stockbridge, taxes	19,664.48
Total Receipts	$46,400.07
Paid on Selectmen's Orders	45,513.56
Balance on hand	$886.51

Stratham, N. H., February 1, 1930.

We have this day examined the foregoing account of Town Treasurer, George L. Barker, and find it correctly cast and properly vouched, with a total unexpended balance in his hands of eight hundred and eighty-six dollars and fifty-one cents ($886.51).

RALPH D. PARKMAN,
JOHN F. EMERY,

Auditors.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Stratham, N. H., February 1, 1930.

ACCOUNT OF CHARLES N. LANE IN RELATION TO DOG LICENSES, 1929

Whole Number of dogs submitted for collection of tax:		
Males	60	
Females	19	
		79
Male dogs paid for, not submitted		5
Total		84

Mr. Lane's Discharge

Amount received after auditing Feb. 1, 1929	$19.00	
Amount received for 55 males	110.00	
Amount received for 12 females	60.00	
		$189.00
Less 72 fees @ .20		14.40
Paid to George L. Barker, Town Treasurer		$174.60

We have this day examined the account of Charles N. Lane, Town Clerk, in relation to Dog Licenses and find that he has collected and paid over to Town Treasurer, George L. Barker the sum of one hundred and seventy-four dollars and sixty cents ($174.60).

RALPH D. PARKMAN,
JOHN F. EMERY,
Auditors.

A true copy-Attest: CHARLES N. LANE, *Town Clerk.*

Town Clerk's Report of Permits and Dog Licenses.

Amount received	$1,231.97
Paid to George L. Barker	$1,231.97

Stratham, N. H., February 1, 1930.

We have this day examined the account of Charles N. Lane, Town Clerk, from February 1, 1929 to January 31, 1930 inclusive, in relation to the automobile taxes collected by him, and find that he has collected the sum of twelve hundred and thirty-one dollars and ninety-seven cents, which sum he has paid over to George L. Barker, Town Treasurer, and for which he holds receipts. ($1,231.97)

RALPH D. PARKMAN,
JOHN F. EMERY,

Auditors.

A true copy Attest: CHARLES N. LANE, *Town Clerk.*

TOWN HALL

Report of C. J. Brewster, Town Hall

Entertainments	$30.00	
Dance	6.00	
Grange	12.50	
Junior Order	9.50	
		$58.00

Expense

C. J. Brewster, janitor	$30.00	
Free Meetings	21.00	
Paid out for pails, teakettle, etc.	5.00	
		$56.00
Paid Treasurer Barker		2.00
		$58.00

HIGHWAY REPORT

REPORT OF CHARLES R. BROWN, *Highway Agent.*

P. Anderson	$712.50
Levi Barker	19.25
Nelson Barker	94.50
S. Beals	202.58
George Bowley	56.00
C. J. Brewster	45.07
George R. Brewster	124.50
C. Bianchi	1,476.10
Harry Brierly	7.05
Charles R. Brown	3,252.04
J. Butler	460.09
M. Butler, Sr.	399.84
M. Butler, Jr.	406.53
Eugene Carbonneau	84.00
George Chapman	16.62
Russell Chapman	34.14
C. H. Chase	25.00
John Chase	77.00
M. S. Chase	107.20
J. Chisholm	12.00
City Brick Co.	233.75
Charles Carson	45.50
W. H. Dance Co.	6.00
Ralph Daughenbaugh	505.83
B. Devine	80.50
Dyar Sales and Machinery Co.	38.20
Exeter Lumber Co.	15.06
C. D. Files Tractor Co.	39.58
Wilson Fisk	430.00
T. Gurtmet	123.14
F. Hatch	120.75
A. F. Higgins	22.08
L. Hill	1,216.00
Hilliard & Kimball	58.68
W. Holland	31.50
P. Hopper	7.00

A. H. Jewell	60.81
Charles Jewell	285.65
Fred L. Jewell	268.63
Henry Jewell	3.50
H. Roby Jewell	6.00
Pascal Jewell	7.00
George Jewell	408.64
C. W. Kelton	77.00
R. S. Kinniburg	52.51
G. W. and C. A. Lane	63.66
C. N. Lane	202.36
Wesley Lane	218.45
W. H. Lang	42.00
J. McAllister	256.00
A. E. McReel	2.98
Muchemore & Rider Co.	5.06
N. E. Road Machinery Co.	229.20
R. Pace	95.25
E. D. Peck	594.85
H. Philbrick	24.00
Winthrop Pike	3.50
Mark Piper	28.00
Chris Pollard	8.00
W. Rawson	111.13
Leslie Scammon	4.00
Walter Scammon	14.25
C. J. Sharp	16.65
Homer Snell	24.50
J. Snell	572.10
Atwood Sturtevant	37.00
Frank Tuck	6.00
P. Wells	58.88
W. Wentworth	59.50
J. Welch	8.25
Elmer Wiggins	210.07
Ernest Wiggin	631.75
Herbert Wiggin	10.50
Marion Wiggin, executrix	13.80
W. A. Young	27.27
J. Zeidman	9.50
South Side	$1,552.34

Durham College	7,304.07	
Winnicutt	2,426.83	
Bunker Hill Avenue	596.64	
Bushes	129.00	
Cross Roads	1,477.21	
Stratham Heights	914.15	
Town Bills	434.61	
Snow	508.93	
		$15,343.78
Received from Town Treasurer	$15,459.77	
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1929	107.98	
		$15,567.75

Mr. Brown's Discharge

Expended	$15,343.78	
Balance on hand February 1, 1930	223.97	
		$15,567.75
Expended as per vouchers	$14,631.28	
Bond covering payment to P. Anderson	712.50	
Balance on hand as per Bank statement	223.97	
		$15,567.75

We have this day examined the account of Charles R. Brown, Highway Agent for the year ending February 1, 1930 and find it correctly cast and an unexpended balance as per bank statement of January 31, 1930 of two hundred and twenty-three dollars and ninety-seven cents ($223.97).

RALPH D. PARKMAN,

JOHN F. EMERY,

Auditors.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1928

To collect	$1,543.63	
Interest	40.56	
		$1,584.19
Paid Treasurer		$1,584.19

JAMES E. STOCKBRIDGE,

Collector.

Stratham, N. H., February 1, 1930.

Account of James E. Stockbridge, Collector of Taxes for 1928

Uncollected taxes	$1,543.63	
Interest by him collected	40.56	
		$1,584.19

We have this day examined the account of James E. Stockbridge, Collector of taxes for 1928 and find he has collected the above amount of $1,584.19 and paid the same to George L. Barker, Town Treasurer and Mr. Stockbridge is hereby discharged.

RALPH D. PARKMAN,

JOHN F. EMERY,

Auditors.

1929

Amount to collect	$20,422.36	
Interest	12.58	
		$20,434.94
Paid Treasurer	$18,080.29	
Discount	314.61	
Abatements	13.60	
Uncollected	2,026.94	
		$20,434.94

JAMES E. STOCKBRIDGE,

Collector.

Stratham, N. H., February 1, 1930.

We have this day examined the accounts of James E. Stockbridge, Collector of taxes for 1929, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched and a balance of uncollected taxes of two thousand and twenty-six dollars and forty-four cents ($2,026.44).

RALPH D. PARKMAN,
JOHN F. EMERY,

Auditors.

WIGGIN MEMORIAL LIBRARY

RECEIPTS

Feb. 1, 1929	Balance on hand		$143.95	
July 1, 1929	F. H. Pearson, income from E. B. Lane Fund		50.00	
Jan. 14, 1930	F. H. Pearson, income from Amanda Lane Fund		28.42	
	Frank H. Pearson, income from M. J. Roberts Fund		8.12	
	Frank H. Pearson, income from George W. Dixon Fund		25.00	
	Frank H. Pearson, income from Edmund B. Lane Fund		25.00	
Jan. 31, 1930	Annual appropriation		27.60	
	From Librarian, fines	$6.74		
	Less expenses	1.90		
		$4.84		
			4.84	
				$312.93

PAYMENTS

Feb. 4, 1929	W. P. Goodman	$60.33
June 19, 1930	Standard Book Co. Inc.	3.52
	W. P. Goodman	31.28
Jan. 10, 1930	Goodman's Book Store	94.07
Jan. 14, 1930	Goodman's Book Store	37.71
Jan. 16, 1930	Batchelder's Book Store	2.40
Jan. 31, 1930	Balance on hand	83.62
		$312.93

Stratham, N. H., February 1, 1930.

We have this day examined the account of Library Treasurer, George L. Barker and find it correctly cast and properly vouched and an unexpended balance of eighty-three dollars and sixty-two cents ($83.62).

JOHN F. EMERY,
Auditors.

NEW BOOKS, 1929

Black Flower	Abbot, Jane
Burning Beauty	Bailey, Temple
The Boys' Book of Dogs	Barbour, Ralph H.
The Son of the Gods	Beach, Rex
Paying Guests	Benson, E. F.
Legends of New England	Broune, G. Waldo
The Story of New Hampshire	Broune, G. W. and R. M.
Tales of the Mayflower Children	Broune, Pauline C.
Indian Story Hour	Broune, Rilma M.
Little Sins	Brush, Katherine
Three Points of Honor	Carter, Russell G.
My Tropical Air Castle	Chapman, Frank M.
Red Likker	Cobb, Irvin S.
The Purple Sickle Murders	Crofts, Freeman W.
Singing Gold	Cottrel, Dorothy
The Crippled Lady of Peribouka	Curwood, James O.
The Whirl Wind	Davis, William S.
White Oaks of Jalna	De laRoche, Mazo
Boys Scouts on The Green Mountain Trail	Easton, Walter P.
On The Bottom	Ellsberg, Edward
Joseph and his Brethren	Freeman, H. W.
A Silent Witness	Freeman, R. A.
Memories of a Sculptor's Wife	French, Mrs. Daniel C.
West Running Brook	Frost, Robert
New Hampshire	Frost, Robert
From Dusk till Dawn	Garrett, William
"Dawgs"	Gray, Charles W.
Harbor Lights of Home	Guest, Edgar A.
Pirates Old and New	Gollomb, Joseph
Ten Dreams of Jack Peters	Hagedon, Herman
Marion Isle	Haggard, H. Rider
New Worlds to Conquer	Halliburton, Richard
Bing	Hawkes, Clarence
The Spectacles of Mr. Cagliostro	Keeler, Harry S.
Jim the Conquer	Kyne, Peter B.
Ancestor Jorico	Locke, William J.
Swift Water	Lorring, Emilie
Schumaunheihk, The Last of Titons	Lawton, Mary
Roamin' in The Gloamin'	Lauder, Sir Harry
The Fifth Latch Key	Lincoln, Nathalie S.

Blairs Attic ..... Lincoln, Joseph and Freeman
Cradle of the Deep ..... Lowell, Joan
The 15 Cells ..... Martin, Stuart
The Best Animal Stories I Know ..... Minot, John Clair
The Heart of the King Dog ..... Marsh, George
My Autobiography ..... Mussolini, Benito
Red Silence ..... Norris, Kathleen
The Treasure of Martin Hews ..... Oppenheim, E. Phillips
The Methodist Faun ..... Parrish, Anne
Silver Ribbons ..... Parmenter, Christine
One Wide River to Cross ..... Parmenter, Christine
The Guarded Halo ..... Pedler, Margaret
Diet and Health ..... Peters, Lulu Hunt
All Quiet on the Wester Front ..... Remarque, Erich M.
The Listening Post ..... Richmond, Grace S.
The Strange Adventure ..... Rinehart, Mary Roberts
A Boy of the Old French West ..... Robbins, Orison
The Secret of 37 Harley Street ..... Roberts, Casey Z.
The Book of Bulbs ..... Rockwell, F. F.
The Romantic Prince ..... Sabatini, Rafael
The Lone Star of Carbajal ..... Sharpe, C.
A Daughter of the Samurai ..... Sugimoto, Etsu
Plupy (The Worst Yet) ..... Shute, Henry A.
Penrod Jashber ..... Tarkington, Booth
The White Mouse ..... Terhune, Anice
Dog Puncher on The Yukon ..... Walden, R.
Hans Frost ..... Walpole, Hugh
In the Darkest Africa ..... Wells, Carneth
Changing New England ..... Whiting, Edward E.
Evolution Disproved ..... Williams, William A.
The Icicle Melts ..... Waite, Helen E.
Soldiers of Misfortune ..... Wren, Percival
The Great Horn Spoon ..... Wright, Eugene

SCHOOL REPORT

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER FOR YEAR ENDING

JUNE 30, 1929

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand as per audit	$18.94	
Received from State Treasurer, Equalization Fund	1,009.48	
Received from George L. Barker, Town Treasurer, appropriations	7,339.14	
Received from George L. Barker, dog licenses	151.20	
		$8,518.76

EXPENDITURES

Salaries of District Officers:		
M. S. Chase, School Board	$30.00	
W. A. Scammon, School Board	10.00	
Hester A. Jewell, School Board	18.00	
F. H. Pearson, Clerk and Treasurer	30.00	
Alice S. Jewell, Auditor	1.50	
		89.50
Teachers:		
Div. 1 Miss Edna M. Crane	$950.00	
Div. 2 Mrs. Anna W. Piper	900.00	
Div. 3 Miss Virginia Randall	360.00	
Div. 3 Mrs. Virginia R. Wilson	90.00	
Div. 3 Mrs. Alice S. Jewell	50.00	
Div. 3 Mrs. Hilda Barker	450.00	

Div. 4 Miss Marian Lyman	850.00	
Music Mrs. Esther B. Coombs	180.00	
		3,830.00
Clifton A. Towle, Excess Salary Supt.		217.50
Janitors:		
Div. 1 Arnold Jackson	$37.50	
Div. 2 Charles Chase	2.00	
Div. 2 Lewis Barnaby Jr.	38.00	
Div. 3 Earl Barker	15.00	
Div. 3 Marian Grant	22.00	
Div. 4 Marian Lyman	36.00	
		150.50
Fuel:		
Walter A. Scamman	$138.00	
Clifford J. Sharp	189.00	
		327.00
High School Tuition:		
Robinson Female Seminary	$1,573.00	
Tuck High School	1,265.00	
		2,838.00
Expenses of Administration	$152.00	
Text Books	166.27	
Supplies	54.40	
Flags and appurtenances	19.21	
Other expenses of instruction	.50	
Janitor's Supplies	17.57	
Minor Repairs	170.24	
Medical Inspection	50.00	
Per Capita Tax	208.00	
Balance on hand	208.07	
		$8,518.76

August 7, 1929.

I have this day examined the accounts of School Treasurer, F. H. Pearson, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched with a balance on hand of two hundred and eight dollars and seven cents ($208.07).

ALICE S. JEWELL,

Auditor.

To the Board of Stratham, N. H.:

It gives me pleasure to submit my annual report as superintendent of the Stratham schools, the eleventh in the series.

The statistical tables appended to this report are constructed for the purpose of giving concise information in an understandable form on a variety of subjects of interest to parents of school children and to taxpayers.

Table II deals with the enrollment statistics of individual schools and Table I gives a survey of the statistics not only for last year but for the last ten years. It is of interest to note that the percenage of attendance, and the average membership of the schools remained at a creditable level and that the number of cases of tardiness was small last year. Our total enrollment has remained at about the same figure for a number of years, though undoubtedly it will drop this year. We have an enrollment now of only 51. Last year at this time the figure was 62. Our present enrollment is distributed as follows:

Winnicutt School	17
Stratham Hill School	14
Ridge School	14
Plains School	6

From all available information it seems that those who will leave at the end of this year are more than those who will enter.

Parents look to school officers for effective results in school work and expect the maximum return on money paid for maintenance of schools. While our schools continue to be as small as they are now and are housed and graded as at present we cannot secure this maximum effectiveness or just return of money for taxpayers. Our schools would be much more effective if they were larger and made up of fewer grades. Certainly the cost of the present plan cannot be justified.

Table VI shows that in the matter of attendance Stratham has a commanding position among the districts of this Union. The record of the Ridge School in this matter last year was remarkable; the parents, pupils and teacher who made it possible deserve high commendation. Table III tells us that almost three-fifths of all the pupils in town had their names on the honor roll for one or more terms. Stratham boys to the number of 19 are enrolled this year at the Exeter High School and Stratham girls to the number of 13 are enrolled in Robinson Seminary. It is expected that 7 pupils will enter the Exeter schools next fall and that 3 will be graduated at the end of this year.

We are fortunate in having the services of teachers thoroughly devoted to their work and who approach it with a commendable professional spirit. It is their aim to deal with the individual needs of their pupils and to this end they do much individual work. Their plans are well made, their teaching is skillful, they have pride in their work and they are good citizens of the community.

At the end of last year achievement tests similar to those given in other years and to those given extensively throughout this and many other states showed that our children were progressing satisfactorily. During the past year we have made considerable use of new kinds of standardized drill material in arithmetic, English and reading. Research workers in education are gradually determining with accuracy those parts of the subjects of our course of study which are most difficult for all pupils. On the basis of this information we can adjust drill in a much more satisfactory way than was possible some years ago.

For the first time the health inspection was made this year, by a registered nurse instead of a physician. Mrs. Dolbec was thorough in her inspection and painstaking in her followup work in the homes. Of course, we fail to get the full benefit of health supervision if defects are not corrected. It is our hope that this service in our schools will carry over into every home where children need medical attention.

Your provision of new desks for two of the school houses

this year has been of great worth. I wish every parent could visit the schools where they are installed and see them in use. I recommended last year that ventilating stoves be installed as fast as money could be provided. The need for this type of heating apparatus at least in the Stratham Hill School, is more urgent than ever. It is impossible in cold weather to heat this school room adequately with a box stove. We continually run great risk of sickness and the pupils are subjected to continuous discomfort.

You were unexpectedly faced in the summer with the problem of providing new shingles for the Ridge and Winnicutt Schools. All persons interested in the schools should know of the urgent need of this work and of your success in meeting it.

I acknowledge with thanks the generous cooperation of teachers, School Board and parents in the common task of securing the best possible education for our children.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFTON A. TOWLE,

Superintendent of Supervisory Union No. 16.

Exeter, N. H., February 17, 1930.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Stratham, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the eleventh (11th) day of March, 1930, at 12 o'clock noon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to transport the children of the seventh and eighth grades to Exeter on the same basis as last year, raise and appropriate $1,000 for the same.

10. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to transfer to the general fund all unexpended balances of appropriations.

11. To see if the district will vote to remodel one of the school houses for a central school, raise and appropriate money for the same, or appoint a committee to investigate and report at the next annual meeting.

Given under our hands at said Stratham this 13th day of February, 1930.

WALTER A. SCAMMON,
CHARLES E. JEWELL,
GEORGE W. BERRY,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

WALTER A. SCAMMON,
CHARLES E. JEWELL,
GEORGE W. BERRY,

School Board.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1930—1931

School District of Stratham

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1930

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

**Support of Schools*		
Teachers' Salaries	$3,880.00	
Text Books	100.00	
Scholars' Supplies	75.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	20.00	
Janitor Service	180.00	
Fuel	350.00	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	20.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	300.00	
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection)	50.00	
		$4,975.00
Other Statutory Requirements		
Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District)	$100.00	
Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by District)	10.00	
Payment of Tuitions in High Schools and Academies (Estimated by Board)	3,600.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)	233.00	
Per Capita Tax (Reported by State Treasurer)	210.00	
		4,153.00
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget		$9,128.00

Estimated Income of District

State Aid (December 1930 Allotment)	$800.82	
Dog Tax (Estimate)	125.00	
Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not Raised by Taxation)		925.82
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		$8,202.18
Special Appropriations Proposed		
Transportation		1,000.00
Total Assessment Required to Cover Budget and Appropriations		$9,202.18

Stratham, N. H., February 13, 1930.

* $3.50 per $1000 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law.

To apply for state aid $3,629.02 must be raised for elementary schools.

WALTER A. SCAMMON,
CHARLES E. JEWELL,
GEORGE W. BERRY,

School Board.

TABLE I
Statistics for Ten Years ending June 30, 1929

School Year	Number Weeks	Boys	Girls	Total Pupils	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Cases of Tardiness	Visits of Superintendent	Visits of Others	Average Salary
1919-20	36	44	42	86	60.	6.	66.	91.	300	58	246	$710.00
1920-21	36	30	35	65	51.	2.	53.	96.	369	71	299	722.00
1921-22	36	32	30	62	48.	3.	51.	94.	119	68	189	740.00
1922-23	36	36	36	72	48.	5.	53.	90.	278	64	145	856.00
1923-24	37	39	30	69	54.10	3.65	57.75	94.	111	60	81	900.00
1924-25	37	35	31	66	50.52	2.97	53 49	95.	107	69	144	900.00
1925-26	37	33	28	61	50.	2.9	50 9	95	116	63	96	900.00
1926-27	36	32	32	64	52.64	2.56	55 20	95 36	71	79	145	900.00
1927-28	36	36	32	68	49.76	2.23	51 99	95.71	68	86	65	900.00
1928-29	37	39	34	73	61.60	2.75	64 35	95 57	88	89	174	912.50

TABLE II
Statistics for School Year ending June 30, 1929

School	Weeks in Year	Boys	Girls	Total Pupils	Average Daily Attendance	Absence Average Daily	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Number Cases of Tardiness	Visits of Superintendent	Visits of Others
Ridge	37	13	12	25	20.33	.39	20.72	98.08	1	20	113
Plains	37	6	3	9	7.75	.27	8.02	96.63	29	25	12
Winnicutt	37	11	9	20	17.74	.79	18.53	95.73	21	21	41
Stratham Hill	37	9	10	19	15.88	1.34	17.22	92.80	37	23	28

TABLE III

Record of Perfect Attendance, 1928—1929

Three Terms

Violet McLane
William McLane
John Parkman
Dorothy Berry
Octave Carbonneau
Lester Carbonneau
Marion Stillings

Two Terms

Barbara Berry
Herbert Boutwell
Beatrice Brown
Alfred Carbonneau
Edgar Carbonneau
Duncan Carson
Melvin Carson
Lucy Chapman
Charles Chase
Winfield Foote
Janice Gowen
Robert Gowen
Cynthia Holmes
Hattie McIntyre
Elizabeth Nixon
Florence Wells
Kenneth Wiggin
Robert Wiggin

One Term

Thomas Berry
Mary Chase
Ethel Degen
Leslie Dining
Elizabeth Fisk
Ruby Gannett
Forrest Holmes
Allan Kelton
Barbara Kelton
Richard Kinniburgh
Esther Jewell
Elizabeth Leonard
Patricia McLane
Richard Scamman
Dorothy Towle
Victor Wells
Francis Wentworth
Ruth Wiggin

In 1919-20 25% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1920-21 13% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1921-22 42% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1922-23 18% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1923-24 30% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1924-25 36% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1925-26 60% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1926-27 56% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1927-28 47% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.
In 1928-29 59% of the pupils were in perfect attendance.

TABLE IV

Teachers, 1929—1930

Name	*School*	1929-30 *Salary*
Edna M. Crane	Ridge School	$950.00
Anna Walker Piper	Stratham Hill School	950.00
Hilda G Barker	Winnicutt School	950.00
Faith I. York	Plains School	850.00

TABLE V

Medical Inspection

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1929
Number of pupils examined	66	51	48	53	61	54	53	54	52	51
Number of notices sent to parents	31	42	75	96	158	22	53	54	52	55
Number of cases found of:										
Malnutrition	14	17	16	22	26	31	36	22	30	5
Defective vision	2	4	3	5	7	1	4	2	0	3
Defective hearing	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Defective teeth	5	4	21	32	46	24	32	30	27	25
Diseased tonsils	10	15	13	14	25	17	23	27	17	9
Adenoids	0	8	5	2	2	2	1	1	2	10
Defects of breathing	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	1	1	0
Enlarged glands	0	0	0	4	22	14	27	25	21	0
Unvaccinated	0	7	16	13	25	0	2	2	0	3
Cardiac disease	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0
Skin disease	1	3	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Other diseases or defects	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	2	4	0

TABLE VI

Comparative Statistics in Supervisory Union No. 16

July 1, 1928 to June 30, 1929

TOWNS	Weeks in Year	Days Lost	Total Net Days	Average Salary	Average % Attendance	Total Pupils
Stratham	37	9.25	176.00	$912.50	95.57	73
Newfields	38	10.00	180.00	900.00	95.12	55
Kensington	37 2-3	9.00	176.33	867.00	91.66	50
Greenland	37	7.00	177.25	1,100.00	93.41	117

TABLE VII

Current Costs of Schools per $1000 of Equalized Valuation in the 244 Districts of New Hampshire
1928—1929
(Lowest cost in District No. 1; highest cost in No. 244)

Number	Towns	Local District	State Aid	Total Elementary	High School	Other Current Costs	Total Current Costs
District No. 1	Livermore	$3 24		$3 24		$ .27	$3 51
District No. 36	Exeter	3 42		3 42	2 74	.54	6 70
District No. 86	Newfields	4 99		4 99	2 57	.84	8 40
District No. 157	Stratham	5 20	1 39	6 59	3 91	.95	11 45
District No. 180	Greenland	6 17	3 80	9 97	1 91	.75	12 63
District No. 195	Kensington	3 99	3 31	7 30	5 26	1 06	13 62
District No. 244	Ackworth	5 23	10 24	15 47	4 06	1 41	20 94

TABLE VIII

Comparison by Years of Current School Costs in Stratham per $1000 of Equalized Valuation

(District No. 1 has lowest cost; District No. 244 has highest)

Stratham's Number	Year	Local District	State Aid	Total Elementary	High School	Other Current Costs	Total Current Costs
No. 194	1922-23	$5.41	$1.76	$7.17	$3.59	$.78	$11.54
No. 181	1923-24	6.78	1.76	8.54	2.57	.81	11.92
No. 189	1924-25	6.14	1.48	7.62	3.59	.79	12.00
No. 201	1925-26	6.90	1.30	8.20	4.29	.81	13.30
No. 179	1926-27	6.19	1.32	7.51	4.00	.87	12.38
No. 177	1927-28	5.93	1.09	7.02	4.22	.78	12.02
No. 157	1928-29	5.20	1.39	6.59	3.91	.95	11.45

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRATHA M, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

Date	Name of Child	No.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1928 Dec. 22	Constance Evelyn Wentworth	1	Frank E. Wentworth	Clair May Colocrd	Stratham	N. H.
1929 July 20	Fred Albert Wentworth Jr.	5	Fred Albert Wentworth	Florence Gainton	Stratham	Greenland, N. H.
July 20	Ruth Josephine Butler	2	Michael James Butler	Florence Rand	Portsmouth	Exeter, N. H.
Aug. 1	Russell Norris Chapman	2	Russell Chapman	Gladys Dolloff	Stratham	Mendon, Mass.
Nov. 17	Louise Evelyn Margison	2	Howard H. Margeson	Alice M. Foote	Boston, Mass.	Mt. Carmel, Conn.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRATHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom	Place of Birth of each and Age of each	Name of Parents	By whom Married
Mar. 26	Stratham	Arthur A. Hudson Anne Kolhmaine	25 Amesbury, Mass. 21 Fitchburg, Mass.	Edmund Hudson Amillia Tremblay Herman Kolmainon Sofia Sotala	Rev. J. Harry LeRoy
May 12	Newburyport, Mass.	James W. Snell Orithy Littlefield	66 Nova Scotia 35 Amesbury Post, Mass.	Wm. N. Snell Lucinda Yugall Sidney Littlefield Lena Levine	Lawrence Haywood
May 15	Exeter	Olive B. Chase Natalie A. McIntyre	26 Strtatham 18 Enfield, N. H.	John E. Chase Georgia Carter Jim McIntype Lottie Sleeper	Rev. Chas. A. Parker
Aug. 31	Hampton Falls	Charles D. Smith Elizabeth K. Choate	47 Newmarket 48 Methuen, Mass.	Almon P. Smith Sarah E. Ham James Robertson Isabella Balmain	H. Hawthorne Benedict
Sept. 26	North Hampton	Irving H. Scammon Margaret M. Dickson	21 Stratham 22 Betheltham, N. H.	Walter A. Scammon Harry W. Dickson Elizabeth Allard Marshal S. Chase	Wm. A. Linabury
	Exeter	Paul G. Chase Bernice MacLamb	25 Stratham 19 Exeter	Bertha E. Gowin Edwin B. Lamb Hattie F. Abbott	Dean. E. Richardson

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRATHA M, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

Date	Name and Surname	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 31	Natalie Batchelder	5	11	21	Exeter, N. H.	S	C. G. Batchelder	S. Marion Lovering
Apr. 19	Abbie A. Whitcher	79	9	18	Newburyport, Mass.	W	Geo. Currier	Mary E. Quimby
Apr. 5	Nathaniel D. Tilton	66	8	22	Chester, N. H.	M	Nathaniel Tilton	Sophia Tilton
May 5	Myria P. Cooper	68	9	13	Portsmouth.	M	Oren Spinney	Almira Noyes
May 9	James P. Chase	89	7	25	Stratham		Phineas Chase	Ann Arnold
May 18	Walter B. Allen	71	3	19	Turner, Me.	M		
June 6	Olive J. Watson	87	7	20	Raymond	W	Stephen Richardson	Mary Welch
Aug. 9	Frank V. Chapman	79	3	17	Exeter	M	Edward B. Chapman	Abigail Jewell
Oct. 30	Sarah A. Shurtiff	75	6	10	Boston, Mass.	S	Henry Shurtiff	Robbena Shurtiff

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Jan. 5	Nora M. Snell	52	10	11				
Jan. 17	Mary M. Thompson	85	1	27				
Apr. 1	Fred N. Edmund	69	3					
July 5	W. S. Kelley	77	2	8				
Oct. 27	Charles H. Chase	10	3	5	Stratham		Chas. H. Chase	Maud Thompson

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